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## ARMED BANDITS FOILED IN CORONA BANK HOLD-UP BY HAIL OF INKSTANDS

Acting Teller, Unarmed, Bombards Seven While Girl Telephone Alarm to Police.

ROBBER'S SHOT MISSES.

Gang Flees and Queens Borough President Joins in Auto Chase.

Seven men alighted hurriedly from a big touring car, green with yellow wheels, in front of the Corona Branch of the Bank of the Manhattan Company at Hackett and 36th Streets, the busiest part of Corona, Queens borough, at 12:30 o'clock to-day.

Walter Hanrahan, the cashier, and all of the other men of the bank were except Assistant Cashier Frederick Althouse were out at lunch. There were five girls at the desks back of the counter. Althouse was the paying teller's window.

Six of the seven men entered, pulling revolvers from their pockets and shouting "Everybody hands up!" The seventh man, it was learned afterwards, leaped to the railing at the front of the bank and with a pair of nippers cut the wire connecting with the big burglar alarm box attached to the front of the building and connected with push buttons inside.

Instead of putting up his hands, Althouse grabbed a heavy glass sponge cup near his hand on the counter and hurled it at the head of the man nearest the paying teller's window. It struck the glass partition, splintering it and throwing spikes and chips of glass over the robber's head and face.

One of the girls, Miss Mary Stadler, who had been coming out of a telephone booth, stepped back in the booth and began calling the Newtown police station.

Althouse, seeing this out of the corner of his eye, ran along the edge of the counter to the outlet into the lobby of the bank, gathering up inkwells, mangle stands and small books as he ran. With the intention of keeping the robbers from discovering the girl at the telephone he began a bombardment in the lobby with these articles as missiles.

The man on whom the glass had broken fired a shot, sending a bullet through the shoulder of Althouse's coat without injuring him. The other robbers had already retreated to the door. After the shot there was a silence broken by the voice of Miss Stadler saying: "Yes. Burglars with revolvers. Hurry!"

The six piled out of the door and across the sidewalk.

The scurried into the big car. The seventh man was already at the wheel. The car roared away towards Jackson Avenue.

Borough President Connolly, a depositor in the bank, drove up in a car just in time to see the green car drive away. He whirled his own car about and started in pursuit but lost all trace of the highwaymen at Jackson Avenue.

Not half a block beyond Connolly was Police Captain Keith and several of his men who had come a mile and a half from the Newtown station on a car commandeered on the street in the time it took the robbers to get out and away.

Orders were at once sent to all police posts at bridges and ferries and along the frontier of the county to look out for the robber band.

**Tax Forger Gets Three Years.**  
Henry Houschel, fifty-two, of No. 245 East 15th Street, Brooklyn, a real estate agent, was sentenced to not more than three years in the Penitentiary by County Judge McDermott yesterday. He pleaded guilty to forging a receipt for taxes on property in Flatbush.

## GERMANS AT SPA BACK DOWN AND MEETING GOES ON

Ministry and Experts Decide to Submit Plan To-Day for Disarmament.

SPA, Belgium, July 7 (Associated Press).—Decision was reached by members of the German Ministry and military officers attached to the German delegation here this morning to recommend to Konstantin Fehrenbach, head of the German delegation, that a plan of disarmament for Germany be presented to the Allied representatives this afternoon.

The conference, therefore, will continue.

The important clauses of the peace treaty with Turkey will remain as they are, it has been decided by the Supreme Council. At this morning's meeting, with Premier Venizelos of Greece present, the Council decided it would be impossible to grant the Turkish request for the revision of these clauses. A commission of experts will be appointed, however, to study the minor clauses with reference to partial revision of the document so far as these are concerned.

The conference met again at 3:30 this afternoon. After a short session between the principal delegates, during which time the German statement regarding disarmament was heard and the military experts of Germany and the Allied countries introduced.

At the conference the German Minister of Defense, Herr Gessler, explained the German situation in support of the contention of the German Government that it must have an armed force of 200,000 men to maintain order in the republic. He said there was little difference whether the force was labeled army or police, provided the men were under control of the Central Government.

Herr Gessler insisted that the Allied plan for 100,000 police, broken up into small bodies under local control and without co-ordination, was insufficient to deal with the present situation, which, he said, resembled somewhat that existing after the Thirty Years War.

BERLIN, July 7.—Considerable significance was attached to the action of the Reichsrath in adopting to-day a budget bill providing 2,500,000,000 marks for a future army of 100,000 men.

The fact that the measure was approved by this body, which is composed of members who represented Germany's extreme militarists, was taken to indicate a willingness to accede to allied demands for reduction of military forces.

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## RICH EX-ALDERMAN NAMED AS HUSBAND BY SUICIDE IN PARK

Woman Found in Lake Left Note Saying D. M. Bedell 'Sought Others' in Prosperity.

LISTS WOMEN'S NAMES.

Body Identified by Secretary of Millionaire Member of Republican Club.

The body of a woman about fifty years old was found by Policeman George Cross to-day, floating in shallow water in Central Park Lake near 73d Street and the West Drive, opposite the Webster statue.

The curiosity of the policeman had been aroused by a brown velvet cloak and a vanity case lying on the lawn near the edge of the lake. Two cards dropped from these articles when he lifted them.

After reading the cards he described the white waist of the dead woman on the water fifty feet from shore. The body was brought ashore in a rowboat. Dr. Mulligan of Flower Hospital said she had been dead at least six hours.

On the cards was written the following memorandum:

I am the wife of Daniel M. Bedell; you will find him at the Republican Club, at No. 741 Fifth Avenue or at No. 51 Chambers Street. I have stuck to him in adversity, but when prosperity came he sought others. These are the names of the women who helped break up my home. (Here followed several names which were withheld by the police). I can be identified by anybody at the Garden City Hotel or by any prominent business house in this city.

Daniel M. Bedell, an insurance broker, was elected to the Board of Aldermen from the 17th District in 1911. He had been chairman of the Assembly District Committee but became associated with those who were opposing Abraham Gruber in the district. He is related to the Peter Cooper family. He is about sixty years old and first became interested in politics in the days when Abram S. Hewitt was Mayor.

He retired from the Board of Aldermen after serving two terms, when he inherited an estate estimated to be worth nearly a million dollars from his father, Abner K. Bedell.

The body of the drowned woman was identified at the Central Park Police Station as that of Mrs. Sally Bedell, by Henry A. Capell, No. 51 Chambers Street, who said he was Mr. Bedell's Secretary. He said Mr. Bedell was on a business trip up State and that Mr. and Mrs. Bedell had been living apart for about a year. Beyond this he declined to discuss the case. He left the station to make arrangements with an undertaker.

It was said at No. 741 Fifth Avenue that Bedell had given up last May a bachelor apartment which he had held there since November, 1913. His

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## AND SUGAR PRICE 25 CENTS A POUND!

Dividend of the Fajardo Company of Porto Rico Is More Than 100 Per Cent.

It was announced yesterday that the Fajardo Sugar Company of Porto Rico has declared a stock dividend of 75 per cent in addition to an extra dividend of 25 per cent in cash, and the regular quarterly cash dividend of 2 1/2 per cent, all payable July 30 to holders of record July 15.

**WORLD RESTAURANT.**  
Special for today, Wednesday, July 7, 1920—Roast Stuffed Breast of Veal and Green Peas, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Chopped Egg, Mayonnaise, 50c. Table d'Hôte Dinner, 50c. 14th Floor, World Building.—Adm.

## RESOLUTE WILL GET 6-MINUTE HANDICAP EXPERTS ESTIMATE

Rival Yachts Side by Side in Dry Dock for Official Measurement.

CREWS SIZE THEM UP.

Shamrock IV, Computed to Have 1,400 Square Feet More Sail Area.

Shamrock IV, and Resolute, rival yachts in the racing classic to start off Sandy Hook on July 15, are to-day side by side in the Morse Dry Dock yards at the foot of 56th Street, Brooklyn. Shamrock IV, was towed in yesterday afternoon and is in its dock to-day. Resolute arrived later. It is still in the water.

On the sand, just back of Mr. Thomas Lipton's challenger, sat Shamrock IV's crew. They were intently studying the lines of the defender, Resolute. On Resolute were its crew, gazing with equal intemperance at Shamrock IV. Both yachts are awaiting official measurement which must precede the big races. It is the first time both crews have had a chance to give the other the thorough once over.

Harold W. Webb of the New York Yacht Club was in a small boat going around Resolute, getting her official measurements. Water line, beam, displacement, spars, tonnage, sail area and other figures will be obtained. From these figures will be derived the rating of the two crafts. And from the relative strength will be determined the time allowance to be allowed one or the other.

This work will require at least three days. It is not expected to refloat the yachts until Saturday, when they will be anchored off Sandy Hook until Tuesday for the final tuing up process.

No measurements were announced to-day, but yachting experts gathered in little groups, conjecturing as to the relative merits. One of those gave as his estimate that Shamrock IV, has 1,400 square feet greater sail area. He suggested that the final rating would stand; Shamrock IV, 93; Resolute, 84. This rating, he said, would entitle a six-minute time allowance for Resolute.

Sir Thomas Lipton arrived at the dry dock this afternoon. He was greeted by a large crowd among whom were Charles E. Nicholson, Shamrock IV's designer; William Fife, designer of Shamrock I, II and III, and George M. Pincheon.

It perplexed Lipton when he saw the full crew on board as it was being measured. Monsieur Webb explained the American measuring system and Sir Thomas said he was satisfied perfectly.

The officials started to take the first of their 500 measurements of the hull of Shamrock IV. An instrument called the pantograph simplifies this work.

## RUTH IS INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

PHILADELPHIA, July 7.—"Babe" Ruth, champion home run hitter of the New York American League baseball team, was slightly injured in an automobile accident near Wawa, Pa., early to-day.

The New York team played in Washington yesterday and Ruth, his wife and three other New York players were motoring home to New York. Their team was not scheduled to play to-day.

Ruth was at the wheel of his big touring car. In rounding a sharp curve near Wawa the car overturned. The occupants were thrown out in a hasty fashion at 2 A. M., making their way to a farm house, they had their injuries dressed and were brought to Philadelphia in another motor car. Later they took a train for New York.

The Ruth car was badly smashed. It was hauled to a garage in Media, Pa., not far from the scene of the accident. "Sell it for what you can get for it," Ruth is said to have told the proprietor, "I'm through with it."

## Nominee on the Democratic Ticket For Vice President and His Wife



## WALTER HAGEN WINS FRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP

Defeats La Fitte in the Play-Off of the Tie at Versailles.

VERSAILLES, July 7.—Walter Hagen, the American professional, won the French open golf championship on the links here to-day. Hagen defeated La Fitte, his French rival, in the play-off of their tie.

At the end yesterday of the 72-hole medal competition, Hagen was tied with La Fitte at 298 strokes. His final round was an improvement over the earlier rounds around the local links, a rally that enabled the invader to become deadlocked with his French rival. Hagen showed a big improvement over his game last week for the British championship.

Hagen's total score for the two rounds to-day was 150, while La Fitte took 154. The American had an advantage of one stroke on the morning round and finished the afternoon round in 75, whereas the Frenchman ran up a score of 78.

## BAN ON 'SHIMMY' AT BEACH.

One-Piece Bathing Suit Also Banned at Cedar Grove. The Board of Directors of the exclusive camp colony at Cedar Grove, Staten Island, has issued an edict against the one-piece bathing suit and the "shimmy."

The colony is composed of prominent residents of the Oranges, Passaic and Nutley, N. J., as well as Staten Island.

**Dutchess County to Welcome Roosevelt.**  
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 7.—Plans are under way here for a big county-wide reception to be given to Franklin D. Roosevelt when he reaches home at Hyde Park probably next week. The reception will be participated in by members of all political parties.

## COX IS PLANNING TO TOUR EVERY STATE IN THE UNION IN HIS FIGHT FOR ELECTION

Anxious to Avoid the Scandals Like Those in Which Republicans Are Involved, He Is Strongly Opposed to Use of Big Money in Campaign.

By George Buchanan Fife.  
(Special Staff Correspondent of The Evening World.)

DAYTON, O., July 7.—Gov. James M. Cox, as the Democratic nominee for President, is determined upon one thing—that there shall be no such thing as "a front porch campaign" for him. He intends to start out as soon as it can be arranged upon a speech-making tour which will take him into every State in the Union.

## ROOSEVELT PROVED FIGHTING BLOOD BY DEFYING TAMMANY

Leadership of Wilson Tribute Against Orders Recalls "T. R.'s" Battling Spirit.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, no longer ago than last week, proved his inheritance of the spirit of fighting independence which has become traditional in the Roosevelt blood. When Charles F. Murphy passed the word that the Tammany delegation, out of all the 10,000 delegates and spectators in the San Francisco convention hall at the opening session, was not to take part in the tremendous tribute to President Wilson, Roosevelt flared up in open rebellion.

He ran to the State standard, nodded an indication of his purpose to Gov. Smith, and then, despite the efforts of Delegate Maloney and a volunteer bodyguard, wrenched it loose and, backed up by Mayor Lunn of Schenectady and one other up-State delegate, joined in the triumphant procession around the convention hall.

And it was noted that when Roosevelt appeared at the edge of the platform after the parade, upholding the captured standard, the loudest cheers in all the hall came from the New York section, from men who had obeyed Murphy's frown and had not dared to follow Roosevelt's lead.

In the same spirit of recognition for his enthusiasm and fighting spirit, the Tammany men were loudest and noisiest in the successful campaign to make Roosevelt's the second name on the ticket.

Franklin D. Roosevelt is the son of a fourth cousin of Theodore Roosevelt. He was born in Hyde Park, Dutchess County, New York, where he has maintained his legal residence during his law practice in New York and his service as Assistant Secretary of the Navy. His wife was Eleanor Roosevelt, his sixth cousin, a daughter of Elliot Roosevelt, only brother of the late President, who gave his niece away at the wedding on March 1, 1905.

Upon his graduation from Harvard Mr. Roosevelt went to Columbia Law School, where he took his degree in 1907. Then he went into the office of

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